

10 December 1963

Captain W.P. Gannaway
Special Service Bureau
Dallas Police Department

Thru:
Lieutenant Jack Revill
Criminal Intelligence Section
Special Service Bureau
Dallas Police Department

SUBJECT: CRIMINAL INTELLIGENCE (4)
ROBERT GLENN KLAUSE
DPD # 32816

Sir:

The following information was received from a Confidential Source.

SOURCE stated that MONK BROTHERS PRINTERS, 2027 YOUNG STREET, was interviewed regarding a printed handbill that had two photographs (profile and full face, similar to a police department "mug shot") of deceased President J.F. Kennedy, with several degrading statements printed under the photographs. SOURCE was informed by this firm that SUBJECT, an employee of LETTERCRAFT PRINTERS, 2615 OAK LAWN AVENUE, brought two different photographs of the late President, and wanted a negative film made from them. SOURCE was also told that the original photographs had been taken from "slick" paper magazines.

SOURCE then contacted SUBJECT. SUBJECT stated that on November 8, 1963, at approximately 11:00 am, an unknown white male, 30-40 years old, 5' 10" tall, 160 pounds, short curly black hair, and slender build, brought two ragged edge photographs of President Kennedy to LETTERCRAFT PRINTERS. The customer wanted a picture negative made from these photographs. LETTERCRAFT did not have the facilities, so SUBJECT took them to MONK BROTHERS, who made the film. SUBJECT stated that he charged the customer four dollars for the film, kept the money himself, and did not make a record of the transaction. SUBJECT'S mother, DOROTHY MERCER, is the owner of LETTERCRAFT PRINTERS. SOURCE also stated that

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SUBJECT was not shown the printed statements on the lower half of the handbill, but was told they were derogatory. SUBJECT denied any knowledge of the statements, and also denied printing the handbill. According to SOURCE, SUBJECT resides at 1126 WAVERLY DRIVE.

A Dallas Police Department Identification Bureau photograph, with physical description, of SUBJECT is attached to the original of this report as enclosure 1.

A copy of the Texas Department of Public Safety transcript of SUBJECT'S criminal record is attached to the original of this report as enclosure 2.

A copy of the Federal Bureau of Investigation transcript of SUBJECT'S criminal record is attached to the original of this report as enclosure 3.

One of the handbills mentioned is attached to the original of this report as enclosure 4.

The indices of the Identification Bureau of the Dallas Police Department were searched with negative results regarding DOROTHY MERCER aka KLAUSE. The search was conducted by Clerk Vickery.

The indices of the Records Bureau of the Dallas Police Department were searched with negative results regarding DOROTHY MERCER aka KLAUSE. The search was conducted by clerk Hahn.

The indices of the Identification Bureau of the Dallas Sheriff's Office were searched with negative results regarding DOROTHY MERCER aka KLAUSE. The search was conducted by Deputy Alexander.

Respectfully submitted,

R. W. Westphal
R.W. Westphal, Detective
Criminal Intelligence Section

OFFICERS COMMENT: SOURCE has been reliable in the past.
Information is believed to be true.

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NAME: ROBERT GELON KLAUSE
D.O.B.: 9-14-32
NATIVITY: Elizabeth, New Jersey
HEIGHT: 6' 4"
WEIGHT: 145 #
HAIR: Brown
EYES: Brown
COMPLEXION: Medium
OCCUPATION: Printer